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CARDOZO GETS PAY

Other Deposed Teachers May
Now Sue to Recover.

TRACEWELL GIVES DECISION

Declares Ruling of Court in Case of
Deposed Colored Principal Does Not
Affect His Opinion Handed Down
When Successors Were Named.
Little Danger of Two Settlements.

According to a decision made by Comptroller Tracewell yesterday, the decision of Justice Anderson that Francis L. Cardozo was illegally deposed by the board of education and is therefore entitled to his pay for the time he was out of office, the other deposed teachers are not affected. He does not believe they can recover their pay if they file suits. The decision is made because of the question raised by Auditor Garrison, who feared to pay the successors to the other deposed teachers, because he thought, under the Cardozo ruling, both the deposed teachers and their successors might claim pay, thus necessitating settling twice for the same work.

The men in question are W. S. Small, W. T. S. Jackson, C. M. Atwood, W. W. Blake, and R. C. Bruce, who were appointed to succeed M. F. F. Swartzell, J. L. Love, M. E. Nalle, J. R. Keene, and J. B. Clarke.

Comptroller Tracewell says: "The question as to the payment of the salaries of the new officers and teachers was officially submitted to the Comptroller of the Treasury, and under his decision of October 12, 1906, it is clear that they are entitled to be paid their respective salaries until said decision is modified or overruled by the courts.

Teachers May File Suits.
"In view of the decision in the Cardozo case, it is possible that suits may be filed by the above named officers and teachers who were not continued, claiming their right to reinstatement and to be paid the salaries provided for their respective positions. I have examined the opinion of the court in the Cardozo case, and it does not appear to have any specific relation to the salaries in question.

"Cardozo was reappointed and continued in office by the board of education, whereas the aforementioned officers and teachers were not reappointed or continued by the board. It does not appear to me, however, to be advisable to withhold the payment of the salaries of the newly-appointed officers and teachers in question, on the probability of suits being filed by their predecessors, who were not continued in office by the board, but who were dismissed or dropped from the rolls by the board of education.

Has Not Changed Opinion.
"In my decision, rendered to you on October 12, 1906, I gave the reasons why, in my opinion, the new law does not continue either the officers or teachers of the old school system in the new. On a careful reconsideration of the act, I see no occasion to change my opinion.

"It may be a correct interpretation of this statute, and doubtless is, to hold that a supervising principal of the public schools is both an officer and a teacher, but, with regard to pay, it is not seen by me how such supervising principal can be held to be both an officer and a teacher."

All the teachers of the public schools, including the above-named successors to the deposed teachers, and Francis L. Cardozo were paid their December salaries yesterday by Disbursing Officer C. S. Rogers.

The case was brought up by Auditor Garrison, for fear that he might have to pay double salaries to the deposed and newly-appointed teachers and officers.

HARRISON REALTY COMPANY.

Reports Most Active and Prosperous
Year with Glowing Future.

The Harrison Realty Company reports a most active and prosperous year ending with the sales in December of eight Louisiana avenue and B streets northwest properties to Joseph S. Just; eleven investment houses in square 515 to Joseph Schiffman; five houses in square 235 to Mrs. C. E. Lent, and 1930 Fourth street northwest to Nathan Slickle.

Among the sales of the year were the following properties: One row of eight houses on First street southwest to Howard E. Bell and Joseph Schiffman; the exchange of the corner of Eleventh and P streets northwest for Wolfe; 1723 Seventh street northwest for Mrs. Wenzel; corner of Eighth and A streets northeast for Au; two lots on Eleventh street, Washington Heights, to M. O'Connor; 932 M street northwest for Attorney Keegan; 1717 Seventh street northwest for Mrs. Preinkert; 709 North Columbus street, Alexandria, Va., for Julius Bellotti; a row of eight houses in Navy place southeast for the Perpetual Building Association; 17 H street northwest to Miss Annie Murphy; 1243 K street to Dr. H. E. Ryan; northwest corner of Seventh and N streets northeast, and adjoining property to Harry Kaufman; five and 35-100 acres at Granby for Presley Dorsey, et al.; 706 H street northeast, a business property, to Korman; 223 F street northwest for W. L. Lannan; 729 Girard street northwest to Max Michaelson; 715 Gresham street northwest to Mrs. Jennie Thomas; 615 D street northwest for Mrs. Louise Scott and sister; 613 Louisiana avenue northwest to Joseph S. Just. This list does not take in any of the many sales made in the suburbs.

Harrison says that his office placed in loans \$221,055 direct from clients during the year. The rent and insurance department has increased by having several large blocks of improved property turned over to it, necessitating an increased office force.

By orders on file now for the purchase of business and investment properties they predict a most prosperous new year.

Joint Joint G. A. R. Installation.

Joint joint installation of Lincoln Post No. 3, G. A. R., and Lincoln W. R. C. No. 8, will be held at G. A. R. Hall this evening.

EXCURSIONS.

Offering a number of side trips, a choice of return routes and other attractions, the Washington-Sunset route California tours scheduled for this season should prove highly interesting to those who have Pacific Coast travel in mind. These tours will be personally conducted and made via the most equipped trains, the cost varying with the number of side trips and return routes elected by the traveler. Three persons only conducted excursions are made weekly the year around via this route to California points. Trains carry tourist sleeping cars as well as Pullmans, providing accommodations suited to every purse. Through berths may be secured in the tourist cars for a most reasonable sum. For information apply to A. J. Poston, general agent, 511 Pennsylvania avenue.

Art Pictures of Great Beauty Given with Elk Grove Butter Coupons. \$2 La. Ave.

ENLISTMENT IS VERIFIED.

Author James B. Connolly a Yeoman on the Battle Ship Alabama.

The report that James B. Connolly, author of "Out of Gloucester," and in the opinion of many, one of the greatest living writers of sea stories, had enlisted in the navy, was verified at the Navy Department yesterday afternoon. He enlisted as a yeoman, and will be attached to the battle ship Alabama.

It is supposed that Connolly entered the navy with the intention of devoting most of his spare time to the description of sailors' lives. As far as is known by the authorities of the Navy Department, no discrimination will be made in Connolly's case, and he will have to do his writing during his spare time.

Connolly is an intimate friend of President Roosevelt, and rarely visits Washington without dining at the Executive Mansion. He was in this city just before Christmas, on his honeymoon, and during that stay had frequent conversations with the President. Connolly is also an athlete, and was at one time the world's champion at the hop, step and jump. He was a member of the American team at Athens, and secured second place in this event.

TEACHERS APPEAL TO BOARD

Three Want Reinstatement on
Strength of Cardozo Decision.

Ask Also that They Be Paid Their
Salaries—No Action Taken Yet
by the District Officials.

Superintendent Chancellor resumed his duties at the Franklin School yesterday afternoon, where a great quantity of correspondence awaited him. He arrived in Washington from New York some days ago, but has passed the last few days in enjoying the holidays.

An interesting communication was sent to the board of education yesterday from Anna J. Cooper, J. B. Clark, and J. L. Love, all of whom were dismissed on September 14. The signers requested that, in view of the recent decisions of Justice Anderson, their positions be restored to them and their salaries be paid. Another letter of the same purport was sent to the Commissioners, in which they repeated the requests, and asked, further, that the Commissioners present the claims to the Appropriations Committee of Congress, in order that such amendments as are necessary may be put in the pending appropriation bill.

Dr. Chancellor had not heard of the letters until informed by a Washington Herald reporter last night, and he saw no reason for making any statement.

Commissioner West, under whom comes the supervision of the District finances, said last night in reference to the letter: "It was forwarded to Auditor Garrison to-day, with a request for a prompt reply, and will probably be returned to me tomorrow, when I will forward it to the board of education. Auditor Garrison will determine the amount of salary due the persons concerned, and, if it is recommended by the board this amount will be placed on the urgent deficiency bill."

As there is no meeting of the board until Stuart McNamara, the counsel, has prepared the charges against Cardozo, it is not probable that any action will be taken until then. Admiral Baird stated last night that no consideration had been given the letters as yet, and that they would likely not be considered at the next meeting, which is a special one, but would certainly come up at the first regular meeting.

Among the supervising principals who went to the Franklin School to receive their salaries was Francis Cardozo, who yesterday returned to his duties as principal of the Thirteenth division.

A short meeting of the Teachers' Association was held in the Franklin Building yesterday afternoon, but after the regular routine of business it was adjourned to meet to-day at 3:30, when a new member of the association will be elected. The public schools of the city opened yesterday for the second term.

LOCAL MENTION.

New National-Richard Card, in "The Spring Chicken," 8 p. m.

Belasco-Eddie Foy, in "The Earl and the Girl," 8:15 p. m.

Columbia-Harry Bulger, in "The Man from Now," professional matinee at 2:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m.

Chase-Polite vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

Majestic-A Jolly Band, 8:15 p. m.

Academy-"The Ninety and Nine," 2:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m.

New Lyceum-Kentucky Belles, in "Society," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

Convention Hall-Roller skating morning, afternoon, and evening.

To Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News, and all points South-Norfolk and Washington steamers every day in the year at 6:30 p. m.

To Mount Vernon—Electric trains leave Twelfth street and Pennsylvania avenue every hour from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

To Alexandria—Ferry steamer Callahan hourly from 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.

To Rock Creek Bridge—Zoological Park, Chevy Chase, and Kensington—Cars from Fifteenth street and New York avenue every fifteen minutes.

Holmes' Pies Are Home-Made.

You'll appreciate the superior goodness of Holmes' genuine home-made pies from the very first morsel you taste. Made in the real home way of the best materials that can be had. Every pie generously filled and well baked. All favorite kinds, 20c. Hot, or cold. Fruit Cakes, 25c. B. Holmes' Bakery, 1st & E sts. 'Phones E. 1440-1441.

Be in Style.

Have a National Inverted Gas Light put up; save gas. O. A. Muddiman & Co., 1204 G st. n. w.

Visit the Cairo Buffet.

See the Billiard and Pool Parlor. Q st., between 16th and 17th sts.

New Year for 1907.

Start the New Year with comfort. J. J. Georges & Son, Inc., Foot Specialists, 1211 Pa. ave.

Special Appropriation Required.

In response to a request from Surg. Gen. Walter Wyman, of the Marine Hospital Service, that Twenty-fifth street, between E and F northwest, and E street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets northwest, be improved, the cost to be charged to the appropriation for grading streets, alleys, and roads, the Commissioners claim that as the work involves a large amount of grading, it would be impracticable to pay for it out of this appropriation. It is suggested that a special appropriation be requested for this purpose to be considered in connection with the Commissioners' next estimates to Congress.

Hungarian Gypsy Orchestra at Park Hotel, Winter Garden, Rathskeller, N. Y. ave. and 11th st. F. Endres, Prop.

The choicest cuts of New York Roasts and other meats. J. H. Buscher, Central Market, 9th st. w. w.

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In our new home, 124 14th st. n. w. H. Ellsworth Sands, Prop. Positively no connection with any other house.

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Purest and most palatable spring water. Bottled at spring and sealed. 'Phone M. 74.

BIG MERGER WANTED

Bank of Washington and
Central May Unite.

PROJECT UP NEXT TUESDAY

New Interests Acquire Control of
Stock and Are Expected to Dominate
the Election of Directors.
Plans Have Been Formulated for
the Transfer of Shares.

Washington financiers are much interested in the annual election of directors for the Bank of Washington, to be held next Tuesday. This election, it is understood, will pave the way for the merging of that institution with the Central National Bank, as soon thereafter as the details can be worked out.

The project for merging the two institutions has been discussed by the stockholders of the Bank of Washington for more than a year, and a majority of them are known to be in favor of the proposition. Moreover, within the past six months several well-known financiers of the city have acquired control of a large part of the stock of the bank, and it is these large stockholders who are expected to dominate the election next week. The ticket of directors to be put forward for approval of the stockholders contains the following names: Charles A. James, Clarence F. Norment, W. J. Mattingly, Clarence F. Norment, W. J. Mattingly, and Daniel Frazier.

The first three named on this ticket represent the old stockholders of the institution, and the other three represent the interests centered in the Central National Bank. If elected, they will supersede J. Blake Kendall, Charles E. White, and James L. Norris, of the present board of directors. The election of this ticket, it is supposed, will be followed the next day by a reorganization of the board looking to the proposed merger.

President James Resigns.
It is known that the resignation of Charles A. James, president of the Bank of Washington, is now in the hands of the directors, and it is expected that in the reorganization he will be superseded by Clarence F. Norment, now president of the Central National Bank.

The plan for the merger, as stated yesterday by a financier familiar with the affairs of both institutions, is briefly as follows: "The capital stock of the Bank of Washington, now \$500,000, will be increased to \$1,000,000. To accomplish this the surplus fund of the Bank of Washington, amounting to \$300,000, will be converted into capital stock on the basis of \$100 a share, which, added to the outstanding shares of the institution, will raise the capital of the Central National Bank to \$1,000,000. The capital of the Central National Bank will then be taken over into that of the Bank of Washington, amounting to \$500,000, which will give the consolidated bank \$1,000,000. The consolidated bank will have assets amounting to \$250,000, made up of undivided profits and property held by the bank.

"This will be merged with the surplus and profits of the Central National Bank, amounting to \$250,000. In the merger the Bank of Washington corporation will absorb the Central National Bank, and as a separate institution it will go out of existence. The consolidated bank will take the name and assume the place of business of the older institution."

Oldest of Its Kind.
The Bank of Washington is the oldest institution of its kind in the city. It started in business in 1811 and has continued since that date. For many years Charles A. James has been its president, and whom no other Washington banker is more esteemed and respected. His management of the institution has been able, conservative, and sound. He has had the unflinching confidence of the business community for fifty years, and he will retire from the active control of the bank with the good wishes of all Washington.

At the present time the stock of the Bank of Washington is worth above \$90 a share, and is looked upon as a gilt-edged investment, though it has never paid more than 6 per cent per annum, that being the limit allowed by the management in a division of the profits of the institution. The new issue of stock, when made, will probably be largely taken by present stockholders of the two institutions.

DISTRICT MEASURES.

Additional to the Pension List of the
Metropolitan Police.

Senator Gallinger will report to-day from the Senate District committee a bill to extend Fourth street northeast. The bill proposes to make the street ninety feet wide, and open it through the government reservation between Congress Heights and Washington Heights northeast.

Senator Gallinger will also report a bill for the extension of One street northeast, from Center street to Fourteenth street, and a bill in the pension list of the Metropolitan police the assistant superintendent and any inspector connected with the force.

BURGE TO BE HANGED TUESDAY

Funds Not Forthcoming to Appeal
the Negro's Case.

The appeal in the case of William Burge, who was convicted and sentenced for the murder of his wife, having lapsed because of the fact that his attorneys were unable to secure the funds with which to defray the expenses incidental to the appeal, the death warrant will be issued on Tuesday. Unless other steps are taken by Burge's attorneys to stay the execution, the negro murderer will pay the penalty of his crime on next Tuesday between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock.

TWO FIRMS INCORPORATE.

Construction and Stone Companies
File Papers for Record.

Papers for the incorporation of the Jones & Peters Construction Company, with a stated capital stock of \$5,000, were placed on record yesterday. The object of the firm is stated to be to carry on a general-construction business, and the following three trustees are named to serve for the first year: James I. Jones, Charles A. Peters, and Samuel Grob. Headquarters of the company are at 625 Fourteenth street northeast.

The Malnati Stone Company was incorporated yesterday by the placing on record at the office of the register of deeds of the necessary papers in the case. The capital stock of the company, which is organized to carry on the business of stone cutting and stone contracting, is stated at \$100,000. The following three trustees are named to serve for the first year: Charles J. Malnati, Lena Malnati, and Virginia B. Malnati. The office of the firm is at 712 East Capitol street.

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WILL HEAR BRADLEY CASE.

Work of Summoning Grand Jury Begun by Justice Barnard.

Justice Barnard, in the absence of Justice Stafford, yesterday impaneled twenty of the grand jurors who will probably hear the testimony in connection with the case of Mrs. Annie M. Bradley, who shot former Senator Brown, of Utah. Of the twenty-three men cited as talesmen, all responded to their names when called by the clerk except George J. Mueller, who was reported ill. John T. Phillips was excused because he has passed the age of sixty-five years, the limit placed by the law. Arthur L. Dietrich was also excused, being in the employ of the government.

Six additional talesmen were ordered to be summoned for next Monday. From these will be selected the three men needed to complete the panel of the grand jury, twenty-five in all. Justice Stafford will, on Monday, when he will have returned from his Christmas vacation, select the foreman of the jury and instruct the new jury in their various duties.

SCHOLARS IN CONVENTION

Begin Holding Sessions at George
Washington University.

Archaeologists and Philologists Discuss
Learned Subjects at
Their Meetings.

The four days' convention of the Archaeological and Philological Societies was begun yesterday at the Shoreham Hotel and in the various lecture halls of George Washington University.

The first day's business was divided into four sessions extending in time from 9:30 a. m. until 9:30 at night. The first was a meeting of the executive committee of the American Philological Association, held at the Shoreham Hotel, at which the financial condition and general welfare of the association were discussed. The council of the Archaeological Institute convened at 10 o'clock and discussed a report of the executive committee on proposed changes in the present methods of publication.

There was a general meeting of the institute at 4:30 a. m. at the University Hall, at which papers were read by various members, Prof. Paul Baur, of Yale University, leading with a treatise on "Pre-Roman Antiquities in Spain." He was followed by Prof. Pickard, of the University of Missouri, who addressed his audience on the subject of "Discobolia." Addresses by Prof. William H. Goodyear, G. Fredrick Wright, Dr. Arthur Stoddard Cooley, and Edgar L. Hewitt closed the morning session.

The afternoon sessions were begun at 2:30 o'clock by the corporation of the institute at West Hall. Then followed a second session of the Philological Association, at which a paper was held at Jurisprudence Hall. At the latter meeting interesting papers were read. Another session of the Archaeological Institute was held at 3 o'clock in the University Hall, at which Prof. T. D. Seymour, president of the institute, presided.

A joint meeting of the societies at 8 o'clock marked the opening of the evening session at which President Needham, of the George Washington University, delivered an address of welcome to the members of both organizations. He was followed by Prof. E. T. Merrill, of Trinity College, who delivered an address on "Certain Roman Characteristics." The meeting was followed by an informal reception at the Cosmos Club, at which members of both associations were present.

Wants \$5,000 Damages.

Jackson Kirkman entered proceedings in the local courts yesterday against Frank T. Rawlings for \$5,000 for alleged damages. Kirkman claims that on April 23, 1906, he was the owner of premises 231 H street northwest, for which he was trying to effect a sale. It is alleged by Kirkman that Rawlings prevented him from consummating the transaction, thereby